Income tax from monopoly houses

2074. SHRI E. BALANANDAN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) income-tax generated from the net profits earned by the monopoly houses; and

(b) the names of the top 20 individual income tax payee among the families of monopoly houses?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI V. DHANANJAYA KUMAR): (a) Consequent upon the amendment of MRTP Act, 1969, with effect from 27.9.91 industrial houses are no longer required to be registered with the Central Government as monopoly houses. Therefore, no such list of monopoly houses is maintained.

(b) In view of (a) above, the question does not arise.

Pay parity of Sr. Accountants of Railways Accounts Community with that Cental Secretariat Staff

2075. SHRI B.P. SINGHAL: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that CAT/GHC has ordered the implementation of pay parity with the Central Secretariat Staff to Sr. Auditors/Sr. Accountants of Railways Accounts Community before 4th February, 2000;

(b) whether it is also a fact that the Secretary, Expenditure of the Ministry of Finance has initiated a note for filing Review Petition in the Guwahati High Court;

(c) if so, what are the reasons for adopting such dilatory tactics; and

(d) what steps government propose to take to implement the CAT judgement without any further delay?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI V. BALASAHEB VIKHE PATIL): (a) No, Sir.

(b) to (d) Does not arise.